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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Box Non-Fee Amendment Washington, D.C. 2023 I

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated April 3, 2003. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 1 - 36.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Barvice as first class mail in an Commissioner of Patents and envelope addressed to: Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on April 9, 2003